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**Meal Service Options
&
Emergency Meals to You**

Options for Feeding Programs

School systems have four options to ensure continuity of meals for children in their parishes:

1. Continue current operations with appropriate [PPE safety equipment](#)
2. Find local solution: SFSP sponsor, restaurant, non-profit organizations, etc to assume meal operations
3. Contract with a [commercial provider](#) that can provide and distribute meals
4. Apply to the [Emergency Meals To You](#) (eMTY) program

Emergency Meals-to-You (E-MTY)

- Partnership between [Meals to You](#) and [Baylor Collaborative on Hunger and Poverty](#) that matches SFAs with vendors that can ship meals directly to children.
- Baylor University matches SFA with a vendor that can ship box of 5 breakfasts & 5 lunches directly to the household of eligible children.
- Eligible schools are:
 - SFSP area eligible (50% or more children eligible for F/R) & rural*
- Eligible children either attend CEP schools or are Free/Reduced
- Schools must prepare to contact the families of all eligible children of the option to obtain consent and verification of physical address.
- There is no cost for the SFA to partner with Baylor Collaborative

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Additional Information

1. On the school spreadsheet, ISR is the Identified Student Ratio (eligible students/enrolled student or ISP).
2. All students in a CEP school are eligible for eMTY. In a non-CEP school, only Free and Reduced students are eligible.
3. The start and end dates of the program are the days you want meal service to begin and end. These may be changed if necessary.
4. You must have parental consent to release information about students and families to Baylor. Baylor will address this process with you when you apply and are approved to participate.
5. Each school food authority that wants to participate should apply with eMTY. This includes charter, private and parochial schools that have free and reduced students or are CEP.

Send Completed MTY Applications To

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